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Tadashi Araki

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METHOD, IMAGE PROCESSING PROGRAM,  
AND STORAGE MEDIUM

Examiner: C. M. Baker

**REQUEST TO WITHDRAW INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant filed an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) on May 14, 2008 in connection with the above-captioned patent application. The IDS and cited references were erroneously filed in the above-identified application and are intended for another application. Applicant respectfully requests that the IDS and reference citations be withdrawn and disregarded. Favorable action on the merits is solicited.

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